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FROM:

Steven M. Olea

Director

Utilities Division

DATE:

September 16, 2011

RE:

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF GOLDEN TEL, INC. FOR APPROVAL TO CANCEL THEIR CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR CUSTOMER OWNED PAY TELEPHONE SERVICES

(DOCKET NO. T-03312A-11-0299)

On July 29, 2011, Golden Tel, Inc. ("GTI" or "Applicant") filed a request to cancel its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CC&N") to provide customer owned pay telephone ("COPT") service. On August 9, 2011, GTI filed an amended application. The Commission granted the Applicant a CC&N to provide COPT service in Decision No. 60198, dated May 16, 1997.

In the amended application, the Applicant indicates she is the authorized person to file the application and that GTI no longer provides, nor ever did provide, COPT service in the State of Arizona and requests cancellation of it CC&N. In addition, the Applicant waived her right to notice and a hearing in order to cancel the CC&N.

The Compliance Section of the Utilities Division indicates that the Applicant is in compliance. The Consumer Services Section has found the Applicant has not had any complaints, opinions or inquires about GTI. The Corporations Division reports no record was found for Golden Tel, Inc. and the Applicant is not incorporated in Arizona.

Staff recommends that the application to cancel the CC&N be approved. Staff recommends that the cancellation not become effective until a decision is issued by the Commission authorizing such cancellation. Upon cancellation of its CC&N, the Applicant will not be authorized to provide COPT telecommunications services in the state of Arizona and therefore, will not be subject to any of the requirements of Decision No. 60198.

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